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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Phan, et al.
Appl. No. : 10/086,941
Filed : February 26, 2002
For : METHODS FOR DNA
CONJUGATION ONTO SOLID
PHASE INCLUDING RELATED
OPTICAL BIODISCS AND DISC
DRIVE SYSTEMS
Examiner : Frank W. M. Lu
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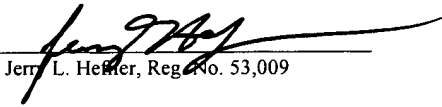
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 25, 2005, please amend the above-captioned Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 19 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.